

**CONDITION FOR APPROVAL FORM
(TO ACCOMPANY LEGISLATION)**

COMMITTEE: FIN/EXC

DATE: 8/28/02

ORDINANCE # _____ RESOLUTION # 02-R-1448

REQUESTED BY: FIN/EXC Committee

DIRECTED TO: FIN/DEPT

NATURE OF CONDITION FOR APPROVAL:

Substitute Resolution to add
additional Whereas Clause to sup
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percent of the Gross Receipts of 10%
WHEN IS THIS INFORMATION DUE, AND TO WHOM?

WILL THIS RESULT IN AN AMENDMENT TO THE LEGISLATION?

YES () NO (X)

WILL THIS RESULT IN A SUBSTITUTE TO THE LEGISLATION?

YES (X) NO ()

HAS THIS INFORMATION BEEN RECEIVED? YES () NO (X)

DATE OF RECEIPT: 9/3/02

A RESOLUTION BY:
COUNCILMAN JIM MADDOX

02-R-1448

A RESOLUTION TO INCLUDE IN THE
2003 LEGISLATIVE PACKAGE FOR THE
CITY OF ATLANTA A REQUEST TO THE
GEORGIA STATE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
TO ENACT LEGISLATION GRANTING
AUTHORITY TO THE CITY OF ATLANTA
TO LEVY A 10% GROSS REVENUE
PARKING SURCHARGE; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, The City of Atlanta, in FY 2002 is still faced with a severe shortfall in its budget; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative that the city explore new possibilities to generate sufficient revenues to provide services for its citizens; and

WHEREAS, the Atlanta City Council passed legislation to create a Committee to Study the Feasibility of placing a surcharge on all parking fees in the city of Atlanta; and

WHEREAS, the Committee convened and held a number of meetings and explored a comprehensive set of issues associated with the city's regulations of revenues from parking; and

WHEREAS, the Committee provided its final written report of their findings and further offered recommendations to the Atlanta City Council; and

WHEREAS, the Atlanta City council affirms the recommendation of the Committee that a gross revenue parking surcharge could serve as a viable source of new income for the city; and

WHEREAS, an additional charge levied on the right to park in the city which is for general revenue purposes would require authorization from the Georgia State General Assembly; and

NOW THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA HEREBY RESOLVES as follows:

That the City of Atlanta's 2003 Legislative Package include a request to the Georgia State General Assembly to enact legislation granting authority to the City of Atlanta to Levy a 10% Gross Revenue Parking Surcharge.